

### Reading

- 22. Wednesday 9 Mar: Sethi, Section 3.3, 4.1, 4.9
- 23. Friday 11 Mar: Sethi, Sections 4.2; Gentle Intro, Section 2.1; Davie, Section 4.7
- 24. Monday 21 Mar: Sethi, Section 4.6
- 25. Wednesday 23 Mar: Gentle Intro, Section 10.3

### Exercises

**Due date:** Tuesday 22 Mar. Please leave your paper in the Taylor Hall homework box (it's located between 2.132 and 2.136) **by 4pm.**

1. [12] Give the result of performing the substitutions in each of the following expressions:

a.  $(a \times b \div c)_{a \times y, b+c, b-3}^{c, a, b}$

b.  $(a + b \times c)_{b,c,a}^{c,a,b}$

c.  $\left( \left( \left( (a + b \times c)_{b,c,a}^{c,a,b} \right)_{c,a}^a \right)_{c,a}^a \right)_{c,a}^a$

2. [5] Find the values of the variables after the execution of *each* of the two statements in the following sequence:

$x, y, z := 3, 4, 5;$

$x, y, z := z+2, x-1, x*y$

3. [12] What are the possible final values of  $x$  after the execution of each of the following selection statements?

a.  $x := 3; \text{ if } x < 4 \rightarrow x := 2 \parallel x > 4 \rightarrow x := 3 \text{ fi}$

b.  $x := 4; \text{ if } x < 4 \rightarrow x := 2 \parallel x > 4 \rightarrow x := 3 \text{ fi}$

c.  $x := 3; \text{ if } x < 5 \rightarrow x := 2 \parallel x > 3 \rightarrow x := 3 \text{ fi}$

d.  $x := 4; \text{ if } x < 5 \rightarrow x := 2 \parallel x > 3 \rightarrow x := 3 \text{ fi}$

4. [6] List the successive states (i.e., the values of  $x$  and  $y$  after each iteration) of this program:

$x, y := 36, 44;$

**do**  $x < y \rightarrow y := y - x$

$\parallel x > y \rightarrow x := x - y$

**od**

5. [10] Sethi, Exercise 3.1 Instead of rewriting the conditionals as Sethi suggests, translate them into Guarded Commands. Each answer should be a single command, with as many alternatives as necessary.

6. [20] Determine (wp  $S$   $R$ ) for each of the following pairs  $S, R$ :

a.  $S = "x := 6 - y \cdot 2", R = (x = 14)$

b.  $S = "x := y - x", R = (x > -4 \cdot y)$

c.  $S = "i := i + 2 ; j := i - j", R = (i = j)$

d.  $S = "i, j := 1 - i, j - i", R = (i = j)$

7. [10] Find the weakest precondition  $Q$  such that the following holds:

$$\{ Q \} x, y := y - 4, 3 \cdot x \{ x < 3 \cdot y \}$$

8. [15] Assuming that  $x$  and  $y$  are integers, use the method of weakest preconditions to determine whether

$$\{ x = 12 \wedge y = 4 \} x, y := x + y, x - 6; x := y + 8 \{ x + y > 4 \}$$

9. [10] Sethi, Exercise 3.1.

10. [10] Rewrite your answers to Exercise 9 in Guarded Command Notation.

11. [10] Sethi, Exercise 3.2. Instead of drawing flow diagrams, rewrite the program fragments in GCN.

12. [25] Sethi, Exercise 3.6. Develop a program for binary search from the description in Example 3.4, on page 81.

Develop the binary-search program in GCN. You should include the loop invariant and the program's precondition and postcondition, but you may develop the program informally.

13. [15] Sethi, Exercise 3.9. Instead of using `goto` statements, translate the fragments into GCN. Assume that in part (a), `i+1` should be `i-1`.

14. [10] Determine whether a type error is detected for the following statement in various different situations:

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if a > 0 and a < 10
then a := sqrt(true);
else a := a / a;
end

```

- Static type checking is performed, `a := 0` initially, and evaluation of **and** expressions is short-circuit.
- Static type checking is performed, `a := 9` initially, and evaluation of **and** expressions is not short-circuit.
- Dynamic type checking is performed, `a := 0` initially, and evaluation of **and** expressions is short-circuit.
- Dynamic type checking is performed, `a := 9` initially, and evaluation of **and** expressions is not short-circuit.

Parts (e) and (f) refer to the following statement:

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if a > 0 and sqrt(true) < 0
then a := a + 1;
else a := a - 1;
end

```

- Dynamic type checking is performed, `a := 0` initially, and evaluation of **and** expressions is short-circuit.
- Dynamic type checking is performed, `a := 9` initially, and evaluation of **and** expressions is not short-circuit.

15. [15] Following the example of the type inference for `foldr` shown in Slide 163, determine the types of the following functions.

Of course you can check your answers by using Hugs or looking in `Prelude.hs`, so what's important in this exercise is to show the steps by which you determine these types.

- ```

foldl f z [] = z
foldl f z (x:xs) = foldl f (f z x) xs

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- ```

zipWith z (a:as) (b:bs) = z a b : zipWith z as bs
zipWith _ _ _ = []

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- ```

takeWhile p [] = []
takeWhile p (x:xs)
  | p x = x : takeWhile p xs
  | otherwise = []

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## Assignment 6

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